

**Press Release**

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**Medical Advances in Pediatric Neurology Brought to the Capital**

*The first forum in the UAE dedicated to Pediatric Neurology*

**Abu Dhabi, UAE** – Pediatric neurology experts from around the world will converge on Abu Dhabi to attend the Pediatric Neurology Conference which will take place from the 19 to 20 November at the InterContinental Hotel, Abu Dhabi 2011.

The Pediatric Neurology Conference 2011 will be co-chaired by Dr. Khaled Zamel, Head of Pediatric Neurology and Dr. Waseem Fathalla, Consultant, Pediatric Neurologist, both from Mafraq Hospital. This event will focus on a current, practical and evidence based approach to common pediatric neurological problems encountered in everyday practice.

“The Pediatric Neurology Conference 2011 will be an experience that will significantly enrich the specialty of pediatric neurology in the region. The education programme is made up of exciting formats that are designed to maximize the educational value for the neurologists as well as pediatricians and general practitioners,” said stated Dr. Khaled Zamel, conference chairman. “There will be a host of opportunities for clinicians to enhance their patient care skills and learn how to improve their clinical practices using the latest in neuroscience. We hope that the extensive agenda will offer something for everyone and deliver extraordinary value,”

The two day conference will bring together keynote speakers from North America who will cover advanced topics such as Pediatric Stroke, Leukodystrophies and Neuronal Ceroid Lipofusinos. Experts from the region will also focus on Pediatric Epilepsy, Behavioral Neurology, Metabolic Disorders, Neonatal Neurology, Neurocritical Care, Neurogenetics, Neurosurgery and Stroke. The Pediatric Neurology Conference 2011 is estimated to attract over

200 neurologists, pediatricians, neurosurgeons, neonatologists, allied neuroscience and pediatric healthcare professionals.

“Pediatric Neurology is a very challenging field, particularly in the gulf region where inherited disorders are very common. By bringing in international and regional faculty to this exciting conference we aim to enhance the application of international standards of care and cutting edge developments in the field to the challenging needs of our pediatric population”, said Dr. Waseem Fathalla, conference vice chairman.

The intensive sessions will be supplemented by hands-on workshop opportunities for the attendees. Participants will be able to secure Continuing Medical Education (CME) hours as well as benefit from the opportunity to update their knowledge through case studies, alternative techniques and innovative methodologies. The conference will also provide ample regional networking opportunities as well.

For further information and to register for the conference, logon to [www.synovetics.com](http://www.synovetics.com) or call Synovetics at 02-6673418.

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